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By MJS/dd/FF Due Date April 11, 2002 OSMM&N File No. 221842US2PCT Serial No. New U.S. PCT Application based on PCT/FR01/02569 In the matter of the Application of Peter HOWLETT et al. For MAINTENANCE SYSTEM FOR A SET OF EQUIPMENT The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon: 29pgs. Specification 9 Claims (English Translation) pgs. Sequence Listing ☑ Combined Declaration, Petition & Power of Attorney (3 pages) ☐ Petition to Revive Under 37 C.F.R. 1.137 (b) ☑ Notice of Priority; Dep. Acct. Order Form ☑ Check for \$ 890.00; ☐ Assignment _ ___ pages/PTO-1595 2 □ Drawings sheets □ PCT Transmittal Letter ☐ Preliminary Amendment ☑ PCT/IB/304 ☑ PCT/IB/308 ☐ Letter Regarding Claim to Small Entity Status ☐ International Preliminary Examination Report

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□ Request for Consideration of Documents Cited in International Search Report
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